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## TRANSACTIONS OF HEARST WITH GERMANY GIVEN

## MESSAGES RECEIVED BEFORE U. S. ENTERED WAR MADE PUBLIC

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Copies of instructions telegraphed by William Randolph Hearst to the editors of his newspapers and other messages received and sent by him at Palm Beach, Fla., early in 1917, just before the United States entered the war were read today into the record of the Senate committee investigating brewers and German propaganda. They were taken from the files of the department of justice and given to the committee by A. Bruce Bielski, chief of the bureau of investigation. Mr. Hearst's messages directed that editorialists advocating embargo on shipments of munitions and food to the allies be prepared for his New York papers; instructed that a "referendum vote" in the election district in each city where Hearst organs were printed be taken and that Windsor McKay prepare a cartoon for the New York American showing the United States and Germany shaking their fists at each other and a huge Japan bending forward awaiting to strike Uncle Sam in the back.

Zimmerman Note

Other of the telegrams related to the famous Zimmerman note in which Germany proposed an alliance with Mexico and Japan and which the Associated Press revealed to the world. One message signed "Doctor" and sent from Palm Beach said the note probably was a forgery prepared by the attorney general "to frighten congress into giving the president the powers he demanded and perhaps also into passing the espionage law."

This telegram was dated March 2, and was sent after "VanHam" at New York had telegraphed Hearst at Palm Beach a copy of "the instructions as sent by Dr. Alfred Zimmerman, German foreign secretary to German minister Von Eckhardt in Mexico thru von Bernstorff now in possession of the *United States government*."

On March 1, S. S. Carvalho, of the New York American sent Mr. Hearst a telegram, saying that "Senator Swann" (Swanson) of Virginia announced in senate this morning that he was authorized by the president to state that the Zimmerman note in Mexico was textually correct. Landing made same announcement from state department, "and asked."

"Will you outline such editorial as you want printed?"

Denies Pro-Germanism

Before the telegrams were read into the record, the committee heard Dr. Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard University whose name was contained in a list of Dr. Karl F. Feuerh, a German propagandist. Dr. Hart who has two sons in the navy entered an emphatic denial of pro-German tendencies and declared he was strongly anti-German before and after the United States entered the war.

Messages from Elihu Root and Charles W. Eliot vouching for Dr. Hart's loyalty were received by Chairman Overman and placed in the record. In the senate during the day Senator Hitchcock delivered a prepared address explaining his attitude toward the shipment of munitions to the allies before the United States entered the war. He had been mentioned in communications of German agents as favorable to this proposal.

Senator Hitchcock recalled that his attitude on the subject was well known since he had introduced a bill to make such shipments unlawful. Like other Americans, he said, his views had undergone a change. He first favored peaceful neutrality he said, then armed neutrality and finally a declaration of war.

The committee adjourned today until Friday when German propaganda will be further inquired into, it was said. Witnesses will include deputy Attorney General Becker of New York and Francis Garvin of the Bureau of Investigation of the alien property custodian's office.

Message to Hearst from Berlin

Among the messages received and sent by Hearst and others read into the committee's record today was one from the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin sent via Sayville, February 12, nineteen days after the United States severed diplomatic relations.

It was addressed:

"William Randolph Hearst, The Readers, Palm Beach, Fla., and said:

"Since rupture relations Reuter's misrepresentations more than ever uncontrollable. Kindly cable brief statement precise situation opinions leading American circles. Many thanks before hand."

On February 24, Hearst sent this message to Mr. Carvalho of the New York American:

"Don't you think we should print in New York the dispatch from Vossische Zeitung which query reads as follows: 'If note (probably quote meant) since rupture relations misrepresentations more than ever uncontrollable. Kindly cable

## President Will Arrive In France Friday Noon

BREST, France, Dec. 10.—(By the Associated Press)—The steamship George Washington, carrying President Wilson and the American delegates to the peace congress at Paris, was reported by the naval wireless as passing the Azores at 1 o'clock this afternoon. All on board were well after the stormy weather thru which the presidential liner passed.

Preparations for receiving President Wilson here have been completed. The city is fairly hummed with expectancy.

The progress of each step taken by the American visitors is followed with eager interest. The first plan of sending an American dreadnaught fleet seaward has been changed. According to the new plan the fleet will go out early Friday morning to encounter the American party a short distance off the coast and accompany it to port.

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An American party consisting of General Pershing, General Bliss, Admiral W. S. Benson, Admiral H. B. Wilson and Col. E. M. House, will board the liner and bring the President and Mrs. Wilson ashore aboard a naval tug.

The landing will be made at Quay three, where the French ministers will extend a formal welcome to the American president as he sets foot on French soil.

The George Washington is expected to arrive about noon Friday. The landing of President Wilson is planned for 3 o'clock in the afternoon and he is expected to arrive in Paris at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. This schedule would leave less than an hour for

ceremonies here, which necessarily will be restricted, altho the Breton peasantry is gathering from miles around to give Mr. Wilson an enthusiastic greeting.

President Wilson will drive direct from the quay to the depot, passing along the Cours Dajot, a splendid terrace overlooking the harbor.

The populace and soldiers and sailors will be massed along the Cours and if time permit there will be a brief address of welcome by the mayor and a response by the president.

The president's train will proceed slowly stopping for several hours during the night so as to arrive at the Dauphine station in Paris exactly at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

## CEREMONIES HELD AT STRASBOURG

Former Capital of Alsace-Lorraine Now a French Province—Many Important Men Attend Ceremonies.

STRASBOURG, Dec. 9.—President Poincaré and the government and parliamentary party of France were given today in Strasbourg, the former German capital of Alsace-Lorraine, the nearest thing possible to an official greeting in the province. The diet appointed by the former German emperor being a defunct and the landtag dissolved by its own consent, there exists no parliamentary institution, but undeniably the native Alsatians of the defunct assembly gave President Poincaré, Premier Clemenceau and members of his cabinet and several hundred members of the French parliament and members of the diplomatic corps of the entente powers, including William G. Sharp, the American ambassador and Marshals Joffre, Foch, Petain and Haig, and General Pershing a reception that may be considered as having the sanction of Alsace to the re-assumed authority of the French government over the province.

The newspaper argues the necessity of placing among the peace conditions a stipulation for the delivery of a sufficient number of German steamers to permit France immediately to regain her normal traffic facilities.

## WAR INDUSTRIES BOARD PERMANENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—By direction of President Wilson the conservation division of the war industries board is to become a permanent part of the machinery of the department of commerce.

Secretary Redfield also announced today that the resources and conversions sections of the board will be taken over by his department but will operate only temporary.

DENIES PRO-GERMANISM.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska in the senate today denied any taint of pro-Germanism such as might be inferred from letters introduced at the investigation of German propaganda. His attitude changed with changing conditions, he said, and like others developed from neutrality to armed neutrality and finally into war.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Senators of the Senate and the House of Representatives, including General Pershing and William Graves, American ambassador was received with cries of "Vive L'Amérique" while Field Marshal Haig was welcomed by cheers from Great Britain.

## REVISED WAR REVENUE BILL DEBATE BEGINS

## REPUBLICANS ATTACK 1920 TAXATION PLAN OF MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Debate on the revised war revenue bill began in the senate today with the presentation of the majority and minority reports from the senate finance committee before a small attendance of senators. The measure has been given right of way because of Republican opposition to the fixing of 1920 taxes, discussion is expected to continue almost indefinitely. Chairman Simmons opened debate by presenting the majority views on the legislation, while Senator Penrose spoke for the Republican members, except Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, attacking the 1920 taxation plan.

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## RUMBLE UP BEFORE U. S. COMMISSION

CHARGED WITH FAILING TO REPORT TO ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN THAT HE WAS INDEBTED TO GERMANY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Dr. Edward A. Rumley, who bought the New York Evening Mail with money said to have been furnished by the German government was arraigned before a United States commissioner here under an indictment brought against him in Washington, D. C., on Dec. 2, charging him with failure

to report to the alien property

custodian that he was indebted to the German government for \$1,451,700 and that he had failed to disclose that he controlled on behalf of Germany, certain shares of stocks of the S. S. McClure Newspaper Corporation and war excess profits also is to be proposed.

In his statement today Senator Simmons discussed briefly the child labor and second class postal rate amendments to the bill. He said the amendment of Senator Pomerene of Ohio, placing what is designed as a prohibitive tax on income derived from the products of child labor is intended as a substitute for the child labor law which the supreme court declared unconstitutional. Senator Simmons added that he felt favorable to a provision that was framed to meet a constitutional question.

Taking up the amendment repealing the present zone system for second class mail and substituting a rate of one cent a pound for the first 150 miles from the place of mailing and 1½ cents beyond, Senator Simmons said the senate all along had been opposed to the zone system and that the members of the committee consequently felt justified in repealing the system thru an amendment thru the revenue measure.

SHOULD CONSIDER  
FRANCE FIRST

PARIS, Dec. 10.—Havas—

First consideration should be given France in the distribution of the German commercial fleet.

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## CHILE-PERU DISPUTE MORE HOPEFUL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Information reaching the state department today indicated that the situation with respect to Chile and Peru growing out of the disputed provinces of Tacna and Arica is more hopeful. The United States has urged upon both countries that every step be taken to preserve amicable relations and it was said that the offer of the American government to adjust the dispute was made with a view to preserving peaceful relations throughout the American continent.

Peru has accepted the offer of the United States, but no official word has come from Chile. Officials accordingly showed great interest in press despatches today from Buenos Aires saying there is a tendency in Chile to accept the Argentine offer and refuse the tender of good offices by the United States. It was learned today that President Wilson had gone abroad prepared to meet any query regarding the relations between Chile and Peru.

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"Mass Murderer" is the Berlin Vorwaerts term for the kaiser.

Imperial German unity is fast crumbling.

The German war debt has been estimated at fifty billion dollars; largely held in their own country, the there are millions held in the United States. As this takes no account of the indemnity that will be imposed by the allied nations Germany has a hard how to hoe financially.

An article in the Public advances the idea that the great war debt of the nations may serve to bind all countries closer together and be a strong guarantee for peace in the years to come. The writer says "A proposition has been created by our loans to the allies. This was very probably an impulse of sentimental generosity which on deliberate consideration we hope will not appeal to the second judgment of congress." "Let those who made the debt provide for its payment."

The recurrence of the spread of influenza is causing alarm among health authorities and it is conceded by many that the trouble which we have been calling Spanish influenza, is probably not the European influenza at all or even the old fashioned grip. Dr. Eugene R. Kelly, Massachusetts Health commissioner announces that a "carefully conducted investigation seems to demonstrate that the suspected influenza bacilli of Pfeiffer is not the true cause and to raise considerable doubt as to whether it is even implicated." The disease in Europe is said to have been far more mild than the epidemic in this country, which, according to the findings of an insurance actuary has "stolen millions of the best years of life from American manhood and womanhood."

TO PROTECT THE NEW REPUBLICS.

The peace league to which the United States is committed is needed not only for the protection of the allied nations, collectively and individually, against outside aggression. As Lloyd George reminds the British people:

"A large number of small nations have been re-born in Europe, and these will require a League of Nations to protect them against the covetousness of ambitious and grasping nations."

The need in their case is particularly urgent in view of the known character of their immediate neighborhood. They are not protected, as we are, by the intervention of wide seas. Their enemies of the past and their potential enemies of the future are at their doors.

The Balkans, over and over again, have up the nose of the world, because of their own quarrels and the jealousy and covetousness of neighboring nations. We want no new, mid-European set of Balkan states. All of them, big and little, must be brought under the protection and authority of some responsible body representing the bulk of civilized mankind, administering justice without regard to nationality or race.

THE PROPHET SPEAKS.

While the nations are seeking a way to punish the Kaiser and

to find some just punishment for his sins, some scriptural student has dug up the following, recently printed in the New York Tribune. The Prophet Isaiah said:

"Hell from beneath is moved for thee to meet thee at thy coming; it stirreth up the dead for thee, even all the chief ones of the earth; it hath raised up from their thrones all the kings of the nations."

"All they shall speak and say unto thee, Art thou also become weak as we? Art thou become like unto us?"

"The pomp is brought down to the grave, and the noise of thy voice; the worm is spread under thee, and the worms cover thee."

"How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!"

"For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation in the sides of the north."

"I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High."

"Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit."

"They that see thee shall narrowly look upon thee and consider thee, saying, Is this the man that made the earth to tremble, that did shake kingdoms?"

"That made the world as a wilderness, and destroyed the cities thereof that opened not the house of his prisoners?"

"All the kings of the nations, even all of them, lie in glory, every one in his own house."

"But thou art cast out of thy grave like an abominable branch, and as the raiment of those that are slain, thrust through with a sword, that go down to the stones of the pit; as a carcass trodden under feet."

"Thou shalt not be joined with them in burial, because thou hast destroyed the land and slain the people; the seed of evil-doers shall never be renowned."

"Prepare slaughter for his children, for the iniquity of their fathers; that they do not rise nor possess the land nor all the face of the world with cities!"

It seems unnecessary to add anything to that.

## Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

THE REFUGEE

To a moated grange in Holland sneaked a king to save his pelt; he was feeling pretty small and looking smaller than he felt. There was no display of bunting, neither circumstance or pride, when his majesty was hunting for a hole in which to hide. It were mean to jeer and chortle when a worthy man goes down, be he king or common mortal, wear he derby lid or crown; but there was no kindly feeling for this monarch on the blink, who, until he hit the ceiling, was the world's most hated gink. Had he not been craven hearted, had he scrapped, with sword and lance, in the three-ring war he started, leaking rich blue blood in France; had he sent his sons, like others, where the carnage used to flow, fighting like the peasant's brothers, with their faces to the foe, then we might have felt, I'm thinking, pity, in some small degree, when we saw the outcast slinking, hunting for a hollow tree. But the outcast's name is graven on the slacker's dastard roll, and the tremors of a craven shoot the loud bombastic soul; so no briny tears were leaking from the eyes of honest men, when they saw the kaiser sneaking from a palace to a den.

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I. C. RAILROAD MAN DEAD

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Thomas Foley, general manager of the Illinois Central railroad under the federal administration, died last night after a brief illness. He was president in charge of the railroad before federal regime. Mr. Foley was a bachelor and was born in Conway, Ohio, in 1864.

ABANDON WAR PROJECTS

Washington, Dec. 10.—Abandonment of additional military construction projects was ordered by the war department today including enlargement of Camp Dodge, Ia.

THE DATE IN HISTORY

December 11, 1864—Col. John Williams, Treasurer of the State Sanitary Commission, received from the "Ladies Southern Illinois Sanitary Fair" held in Sparta, Randolph county, the sum of \$1,500 to be appropriated for the benefit of sick and wounded soldiers.

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## RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE IS POSTPONED

Action Taken by Executive Committee of Morgan County Red Cross Tuesday Evening—Influenza Epidemic Cause—Pass Resolutions Pledging Support to Health Authorities.

In a session that lasted until nearly midnight Tuesday the executive committee of the Morgan county chapter of the American Red Cross after a complete survey of the local situation voted to postpone indefinitely the membership drive that was to have started Monday, December 16.

A. C. Metcalf, chairman of the campaign committee, had prepared a working organization that was ready to begin the task of securing the largest membership in the history of the county. It was the sense of Mr. Metcalf and the members of the committee that inasmuch as the Red Cross is interested in the conserving of the health of the community, it would be well to set an example of co-operation with health authorities that it is hoped all citizens will follow.

### Health Conditions Responsible

Judge E. P. Brookhouse, chairman of the committee in charge of the work of combatting influenza, was present and gave a detailed statement of the work of the committee in fighting the spread of influenza.

The fact that the city has been in quarantine for several weeks as to public schools, theaters and churches and the further fact that the authorities have issued further quarantine regulations, had much to do with the action of the executive committee.

It is regretted very much by Mr. Metcalf and his corps of workers that the postponement of the campaign drive was necessary.

Arrangements had been made whereby the campaign would have been conducted without exposure to contagion or infection of the sollicitors. People were showing a keen interest in the campaign and already some had sent in their membership fees.

### Drive Postponed Indefinitely

No time was set for the membership drive. Mr. Metcalf said last night that it was impossible to say when it would be started. He intimated that conditions might remain as they were for a period of several months. It is assured that no steps will be taken in the drive until health conditions improve even if they extend over a period of a year or more.

In addition to postponing the drive the executive committee passed a resolution pledging its co-operation with the health authorities in their efforts to combat and prevent the spread of influenza. The resolution follows:

### Resolutions Adopted.

"Resolved, By the executive committee of the Morgan County Chapter of the American Red Cross, that we pledge our co-operation and support to the health commission, the health warden and other health authorities and urge upon the people of Jacksonville and vicinity the necessity of co-operation with these officers and observing strictly all regulations put in force by them in their efforts to combat and prevent the spread of influenza."

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## Financial Statement of U. W. W. Campaign.

Official statement of present standing of the U. W. W. campaign as reported to County Treasurer W. G. Goebel. All of the precinct reports are past due and should be turned in to the treasurer.

Town or Township	Regular	Victory Boys	Victory Girls	Total Subscriptions	Original Quota
Alexander	\$ 962.00		\$ 24.50	\$ 986.50	\$ 3,470.00
Ardenia	729.50		51.00	780.50	874.00
Centerville	30.00	\$ 20.50		50.50	530.00
Chapin	2,041.35	132.75	204.90	2,379.00	1,586.00
Concord	2,206.50	156.00	87.00	2,449.50	1,690.00
Franklin	4,500.31	152.95	113.10	4,766.36	3,044.00
Literberry	1,117.30		20.50	1,137.80	1,396.00
Lynville	1,231.63	9.50	48.80	1,289.92	1,232.00
Markham	632.00	15.00	30.85	677.85	978.00
Meredosia	800.02	24.35	85.50	909.87	1,958.00
Murraville	2,603.95	62.75	84.25	2,750.95	1,824.00
Nortonville	448.75			448.75	778.00
Plisgar	980.25	7.50	44.95	1,032.70	1,420.00
Prentice	2,298.85	63.00	93.00	2,454.85	1,882.00
Sinclair	1,501.50		48.00	1,549.50	1,744.00
Waverly	3,563.91	216.25	271.00	4,051.16	2,834.00
Woodson	1,547.00			1,547.00	1,926.00
Jacksonville	29,807.25	810.75	450.00	36,500.00	24,826.00
Totals	\$57,002.07	\$1,671.30	\$1,657.35	\$65,762.72	\$54,046.00

Cash received to date ..... \$47,754.75

The report of District No. 14 which is a partial report as handed in to District Secretary J. S. Findley and which will be forwarded to the state headquarters, is as follows:

County	Regular	Victory Boys	Victory Girls	Total Subscriptions	Original Quota
Cass County	\$ 32,346.75	\$ 1,474.75	\$ 2,323.93	\$ 36,145.25	\$ 22,300.00
Morgan County	57,002.07	1,671.30	1,657.35	65,762.72	54,000.00
Pike County	37,655.13	993.89	994.00	39,643.02	35,300.00
Scott County	12,695.18	530.00	530.00	13,755.18	11,100.00

District totals ..... \$139,698.95 \$4,669.94 \$5,505.28 \$155,306.17 \$132,700.00

Illinois Woman's College ..... \$2,124.00

Illinois College ..... 3,308.00

Total ..... \$5,432.00

Cash received to date ..... \$122,975.81

AMERICANIZATION OF PROPERTY TO CONTINUE

UNTIL PEACE IS PROCLAIMED and POSSIBLY LONGER, says A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Americanization of enemy owned property will be continued until peace is proclaimed, and possibly even longer during an extended period of liquidation, declared A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian in an address here tonight at a meeting under auspices of the New York City Bar Association.

This policy of Americanization, which he asserted had snatched away "a knife at the throat of America" would be added, destroy the far reaching hold on the French army and in the presence of German officers in civilian clothes have been sent to the various banks of Brussels, notably the Comptoir National de l'Est, Compte, Paris and the Credit Lyonnais in the last two days, and have removed large numbers of chests which were placed there

## CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Olive Blevins of Atwater was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

J. R. Hagerman was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Fenley of Lorraine were Tuesday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Bert Rawlings of the southeast part of the county was a Jacksonville shopper Tuesday.

H. Eiler of Chapin spent some time in the city yesterday.

R. I. Young of Buckhorn paid the city a business visit Tuesday.

Fred McFadden of the northwest part of the county was in the city Tuesday.

C. L. Haffield of Decatur was in the city yesterday looking after the branch establishment of his business in this city.

See Russell & Thompson for a good clock.

J. C. Ffeil of Arenzville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Bader of Prentice was shopping with Jacksonville merchants Tuesday.

Mrs. Eliza Roberts of Concord attended to some holiday shopping in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Turner who has been a pupil at Illinois has taken advantage of the vacation to visit her sister, Miss Eleanor Turner, in Quincy.

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Come to this bank NOW

Join our club for next Christmas, and get your Christmas money in time to shop early. A sure way to have a real, Merry Christmas.



Mr. and Mrs. George Cox of Griggsville visited the city Tuesday.

Miss Madge Deatherage of Waverly visited the city Tuesday for shopping purposes.

Charles E. Irlam of Midway was a Tuesday caller in the city.

Thomas Irlam of Woodson precinct paid the city a business visit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rawlings of Clements were in the city Tuesday.

Miss Geneva Upp of Minnesota is visiting her mother on West College avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lewis and Chester McClellan motored from Springfield to the city yesterday.

J. W. Lazebny of Markham visited the city Tuesday for the transaction of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and son of Pisgah were numbered among the transients in the city Tuesday.

Leslie Switzer and family of Lynnville paid the city a visit yesterday.

Miss Helen Strang of White Hall was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

Miss Rowena Sinclair of Franklin was among the Tuesday shoppers in the city.

Mrs. George Hierman of Bluffs was a business visitor here Tuesday.

F. A. Nichols of Franklin paid the city a brief business call Tuesday.

John Wilson or Clements was among the Tuesday business visitors in the city.

Edward McNeely of Nortonville was numbered among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mary E. Roberts of Franklin was a local shopper Tuesday.

C. E. Edwards and family of Nortonville were in the city yesterday.

James Kenney, manager of the elevator at McCarthy's, was a local business visitor Tuesday.

William C. Kloppe of the vicinity of Clements was in the city yesterday.

Antone Bergschneider was among the Franklin representatives in the city Tuesday.

Edward Bradley of Woodson paid the city a business call Tuesday.

C. K. Stone of Rushville was among the Tuesday transients in Jacksonville.

V. R. Haynes of Franklin transacted business with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

L. F. Berger of Meredosia paid the city a business visit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gibson of the vicinity of Franklin were visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday. Mr. Gibson has sold his farm and is contemplating removing to Jacksonville where he will be certainly welcome for the city has use for plenty such square men as he is.

W. S. Fanning of Murrayville visited the city yesterday for the transaction of business matters.

Ernest Walters of the east part of the county was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

C. F. Scott and family of Roodhouse visited the city yesterday.

A. A. Swain and sisters, Misses Emma and Sarah Swain of Sinclair, were Jacksonville callers yesterday.

Mrs. Ray Berry of Roodhouse was a Jacksonville shopper Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Woodall of Winchester is a guest of Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. Roy Dyer of Murrayville was a local shopper Tuesday.

Mrs. M. W. Turner of Scottville was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yeek of Arenzville were among the Tuesday visitors in Jacksonville.

Mrs. John Boddy and daughters Grace and Phoebe and son Walter of Markham were in the city yesterday.

John Kelly of Nortonville was among the Tuesday visitors in the city.

Samuel Burchett of Franklin paid the city a business visit yesterday.

E. C. Cully of the northeast part of the county was a city busines visitor yesterday.

A. H. Duewer of Waverly spent some time in the city yesterday.

E. P. Kinnett of the east part of the county was a local caller yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis of Woodson paid the city a brief visit Tuesday.

THE BEST is none too good for him—BATHROBES. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Reynolds of the southeast part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Reuben Mitchell and Ross Seymour were Franklin residents who visited the city Tuesday.

Miss Sallie Summers of Quincy is visiting her friend, Mrs. J. H. Kennedy in this city.

F. C. Dinwiddie and family of Litterberry visited the city yesterday.

F. S. Sheppard of Murrayville was numbered among the Tuesday business visitors in the city.

A. A. Beerpur helped represent Franklin in the city Tuesday.

Thomas A. Burrus of Arenzville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

C. H. Davenport of Waverly spent some time in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gaddis of Concord were transacting business with local merchants Tuesday.

George W. Brown of Murrayville was numbered among the Jacksonville business visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson of Providence were shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bates of the southeast part of the county were local shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Reeder helped represent Winchendon in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby Dawson of north of Winchester were trading with local merchants yesterday.

Theodore Hierman of Arenzville was a local business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Deitrich of the vicinity of Concord visited the city yesterday. The general average will be had thirty acres of corn this year the city yesterday. Mr. Deitrich about forty bushels. He has finished husking and has his golden

grain safely stored away. Cass Travis of Sinclair visited the city yesterday.

Harry J. Dunbaugh of Chicago was in the city yesterday to attend the meeting of the Trustees of Illinois College. Mr. Dunbaugh was for time a member of the Journal staff.

Fred J. Bergschneider and James J. Boyle of Routh College, motored to Franklin Sunday and spent the day with the former's parents.

Mrs. Grace VanHouten has recovered from her recent illness and has returned to her work at Illinois College.

Mr. Wm. Hohenzollern has certainly done a service to mankind in destroying the old time reverence for royalty.

Cleon Bell has leased the E. A. Tanner house on Woodland Place, for a period of two years and will take possession at once.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith have returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hopper.

Sergeant and Mrs. Harry McCracken are expected home from Camp Taylor, Kentucky this week where Sergt. McCracken has been stationed. He has only recently been promoted to the rank of sergeant. Mrs. McCracken has been residing in Louisville while her husband was stationed at Camp Taylor.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Tanner left yesterday for their home in Denver, Colo. They went first to St. Louis to visit Mr. Tanner's sister, Mrs. Mary Post, for a few days.

Julian Shepherd of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday with his father, S. S. Shepherd.

He has cultivated 80 acres of corn which yielded about 55 bushels to the acre. Some of it went as high as 80 bushels to the acre but the average was pulled down by a poor spot in the field. The young man's father will shortly give up farming and will leave the boy to run the whole concern, and he certainly seems able to do it in a satisfactory manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartland Zeller left yesterday for their home in Denver, Colo. They went first to St. Louis to visit Mr. Tanner's sister, Mrs. Mary Post, for a few days.

E. M. Baptist of Springfield is in the city, called by the death and funeral of Mrs. Levina De Frates.

A. J. Platt of Griggsville was among the Tuesday transients in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartland Zeller of Alexander paid the city a brief visit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson of Murrayville were calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

George E. Merriweather of Bristow, North Dakota was in the city yesterday.

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## TRANSACTIONS OF HEARST WITH GERMANY GIVEN

(Continued from Page 1.)

brief statement precise situation. My reply in New York."

On the following day, Feb. 24, Hearst sent this message to Carvalho:

"Use Star Spangled Banner in all morning papers. Do not print Vossische Zeitung message."

"This making a dictator of president desperately dangerous precedent. It may do no immediate harm with a good president but it may do immense injury with some bad one."

Wilson is federalist as I wrote in first year of his term and as Francis showed in alien sedition editorial. The federalists are autocratic in tendency."

President of this republic today has more power than any king in any constitutional monarchy in the world. If he gets more he will be a dictator and possibly a despot. It is the duty of true Democrats to be vigilant."

On February 25 Hearst sent a telegram to Carvalho asking him to keep standing in the "evening papers" the verses printed in American reproduced from Harper's Weekly during Civil War and referring to shipments or arms by England to the south.

Carvalho protested the next day in this message:

"Cannot find Harper's Weekly poem in American. Found one reproduced in Fatherland from Harper's Weekly, attacking England for sending arms, etc., therefore in consequence of sinking of Laponia today with Americans aboard and President Wilson's address before congress urge that we not use this poem, if it is the one you mean, as under present conditions it is bound to hurt Harper's. Bulk of public believes country is on verge of war with Germany and this poem prominently displayed will be regarded as our taking Germany's side. Star Spangled Banner is being run top of editorial column."

The Zimmerman Note.

The message regarding the Zimmerman note, signed "doctor" read as follows:

"Agree with Francis Zimmerman not all probability absolute fake and forgery prepared by very unscrupulous attorney general's very unscrupulous department. Everybody knows that the secret police are the most conscienceless manufacturers of forged evidence in the world."

"Gregory is possibly violently pro-British. He is surely violently pro-corporation. He is located where he can do the corporations the most good and he has been unwilling to be removed or they have been unwilling to have him removed even for a position on the supreme bench. He and Burleson are House's appointments and House has been a corporation lobbyist all his life."

The object of Zimmerman forgery was to frighten congress into giving the president the powers that he demanded and perhaps also into passing the espionage bill."

Plain People Did Not Want War.

The only serious consequence is that the whole people of this country, 90 per cent of whom do not want war, may be projected into war."

"If we do not want to say all this editorially we can say one of it editorially, and get some one to stand for interview as Hale used to do to bring all these out especially those about the probable forgery of the note. We should develop the forgery phase of the note for the Sunday paper if Francis and I seem to be right."

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## AMERICAN NAVY DOES GREAT WORK

Excellent Achievements Made During Last Year of World War—Seemingly Impossible Things Done by Men.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—With a story of brilliant achievements of the American navy in the war, Secretary Daniels couples, in his annual report made public today, an urgent recommendation for continued naval expansion to meet the demands of peace for national and international work on the sea.

Through nearly all of 144 printed pages the Secretary tells in brief phrases of the navy's part in the war, of the doing of the seemingly impossible through

teamwork. He speaks of the mighty accomplishment of transporting two million men to France, without the loss of an enemy action, and he devotes a graphic chapter to the marine brigade, which as all the world knows blocked the last Prussian advance on Paris, and started the German retreat that ended with the war.

**Peace Tasks for Navy.**  
This reference to the future concludes the report:

"The day is not far distant when the world will witness an end of competitive building between nations of mighty weapons of war. In the peace treaty there will undoubtedly be incorporated President Wilson's proposal for a reduction of armament to the lowest point consistent with domestic safety."

"Navies will still be needed as an international police force to compel compliance with the decree of an international tribunal which will be set up to decide differences between nations. Naval vessels will have large peace tasks of survey and discovery and protection in addition to police duty of an international as well as a national character.

"Inasmuch as the United States is the richest of the great nations and has suffered less in war than any of the allied powers, it will devolve upon this country to make a contribution to the navy to preserve the peace of the world commensurate with its wealth, its commerce, its growing and ex-

panding merchant marine, and its leadership in the council of free people. It is therefore, our duty now not, indeed, to enter upon any new and ambitious naval program, but to go forward steadily upon the lines of naval increase to which the country committed itself by the adoption three years ago of the first far-reaching constructive naval program in the history of the republic.

"I have recommended to this congress the adoption of another three-year program substantially like the one authorized in 1915. But the victory of the allies and the United States should, and will I sincerely trust, within a few years make it no longer necessary for any nation under whip and spur to burden its taxpayers to undertake to build, in competitive construction, bigger fighting ships and more of them than any other nation can construct."

### The Three-Year Program.

Mr. Daniels shows that the new \$600,000,000, three-year building program he has proposed will provide 156 additional naval ships, ten of them dreadnaughts and six battle cruisers and the others to be in such distribution of approved types as the department may deem best.

Taking up his story of the navy and the war, the secretary declares the service was "ready from stem to stern" when the United States entered the conflict. From the day when the first three-year program was adopted in 1916, he adds, "Congress has given everything that could be desired to insure the effectiveness of the naval arm."

Teamwork had been the navy's slogan for five years, and it continued to be the war motto both at home and abroad. The striking success of the navy is ascribed to this fact by Mr. Daniels, who continues:

"Apparently there have been times when a secretary of the navy seemed to find friction and lack of co-operation among the officers around him. If that spirit ever existed in the United States navy, I can state with confidence and pride that there is now no vestige of it, and I firmly believe, from my experience, not only during the last year but during the five years preceding, it will never return."

The report shows that Vice Admiral Sims, who was on his way to London as head of the American naval establishment in the war zones even before war was declared, is soon to be named full admiral by the president in recognition of his services, the high character of which the secretary says it is yet too early to give proper place. The sending of Admiral Sims was the first step in a program of which the secretary says:

### Unity of Command.

"The outstanding accomplishment of the navy abroad in this war, outside of vigorous and valiant service in the danger zone, has been the character and degree of co-operation and practical consolidation for the time being of our service with those services with which we have been associated. The navy beginning with the arrival of the first ship abroad, has stood out for unity of command, even though this in some instances involved sacrificing temporarily something of our identity as an independent service. This has not been an easy task. It is believed to be a safe statement that the degree of accomplishment of our service in this respect is without precedent in allied warfare."

As concrete evidence of what was accomplished, the report shows that on October 1 there were 338 United States naval ships abroad with 5000 officers and 70,000 enlisted men, or a greater force than the total strength of the navy when war was declared; while the American fighting craft had steamed an average of 626,000 miles per month in the war zone. This did not include the cruisers and battleships on escort duty. Of the first destroyers to go over the Porter steamed 64,472 miles, the Conyngham 52,952 and the Davis 17,415.

The major naval operation of the war so far as the United States is concerned is given as the conveying of more than 2,000,000 troops to Europe without the loss by enemy action of a single east-bound transport. This accomplishment, the report says, will stand as a monument to both the army and the navy as the greatest and most difficult troop transporting effort which has ever been conducted across seas. Up to November 1, 1918, the report continues, the American navy had steamed 1,000,000 miles in the war zone.

Another ordinance development that is noted is the perfection of 16-inch rifles for all new battleships. They will make these vessels, it is said, the heaviest armed craft in the world with a broadside projectile weight of 25,200 pounds against 17,500 pounds for the Pennsylvania, the biggest and most powerful craft now in commission.

The report shows clearly that Mr. Daniels has no intention of proposing an adoption of the naval general staff suggestions that have been made. He finds that the navy organization has stood the strain of war without faltering and says:

"For years there was a persistent and insistent demand on the part of a small element of the navy and some well-meaning citizens interesting themselves in naval matters for a naval organization labeled 'General Staff' of the 'made in Germany' pattern. This pattern has not worn well, and it is observed that the 'made in America' pattern of the United States navy seems to be appreciated now not only in America but in some of the nations associated with us."

The report emphasizes also in the record of small arms training during the year, 40,000,000 rounds having been fired without an accident due to carelessness. Since last July the navy has issued 54,147 marksmen, 23,222 sharpshooters and 11,867 expert riflemen.

"Today," the report says, "practically every combatant ship is able to organize a landing force of as many men as it can send ashore, with every man a trained rifleman and many of them trained machine gunners."

To Capt. E. P. Jessop, engineering officer at the New York navy yard, the report gives credit for having recommended the revolutionary practice of electric welding when repair of the damaged German shipping was undertaken. Careful estimates have shown that this one innovation saved twelve months in time and \$20,000,000 in money, while the ships thus made quickly available carried half a million soldiers in France.

Another engineering achievement of the year is the completion and testing of the first electric drive battleship, the New Mexico. Despite adverse criticism which had the determination to employ

this mechanism on battle craft, the report says, the New Mexico has not only met every requirement but has passed many additional tests with the result "in this unique vessel, the United States navy has a battleship which has no peer in the world's navies, not only for economic propulsion and less liability to serious derangement, but her military superiority in greater maneuvering power and increased underwater protection." Credit is given Rear Admiral Griffin, engineer in chief of the navy, for this accomplishment.

### Contracts of the Year.

The report shows that four battleships, one battle cruiser, two fuel ships, one transport, one gunboat, one ammunition ship, 223 destroyers, 53 submarines, 92 submarine chasers, including 50 for France, 51 mine sweepers, and numerous tugs and harbor craft were contracted for during the year. Up to October one gunboat, 93 destroyers, 29 submarines, 26 mine sweepers and four Eagles had been launched. The additions to the navy during the year included two battleships, 36 destroyers, 28 submarines, 355 submarine chasers and 13 mine sweepers. The actual number of 110 foot chasers now in commission, including those delivered to France, is 406.

Discussing the navy's accounting system, Secretary Daniels says \$11,000,000 was saved during the year by examination of costs in fixed price contracts and control over the cost-plus agreements. He commends highly the work of Rear Admiral McGowan, paymaster general and head of the supplies and accounts bureau, and expresses the opinion that "the navy has received and is receiving full value for every dollar expended."

The report also pays tribute to the patriotic co-operation the department has received from shipbuilders, munition manufacturers and the heads of all the allied industries.

"I wish these captains of industry," Mr. Daniels says, "to understand the appreciation of the navy department of their wonderful accomplishment. And the country should know how they lacked in nothing of thought and effort in naval preparation and naval efficiency. Not a few of them understood any work desired with a willingness to leave the question of profits to the government, putting their plants and resources at the government's disposal."

### Labor's Loyalty Commended.

Labor has shown itself loyal, the report continues, and workmen at the yards have many times refused to leave vital employment there for better pay elsewhere. In addition, when relations between capital and labor appeared to have reached critical stages at times during the rush of war work, the trades at the navy yards addressed resolutions to the department "so clearly defining their belief that the duty of all loyal American workmen lay in securing maximum production, without regard to selfish considerations of personal betterment as to have so slight effect in bringing both sides in controversy going on outside the yards to a realization of the need of forgetting their disputes."

The secretary holds much of this satisfactory condition to have been due to the loyal co-operation of the heads of the American Federation of Labor."

Mr. Daniels expresses appreciation of the work done by George Creel, chairman of the committee on public information, and has this to say of the American press:

"The most intimate relationship between Mr. Creel and the department has been productive of genuine co-operation in service that was new in our country and not easy to carry out successfully. The spirit of the press, which patriotically responded to the appeal for voluntary censorship, can not be too highly commended. There was full freedom of the press with full recognition by the press of the government's desire to withhold no information that did not disclose military secrets. The press had an appreciation of this necessity and, though having knowledge of movements of ships and troops and other military operations, never violated confidence. On the other hand the press gave helpful suggestions which were invaluable to Mr. Creel and the department."

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### Advantage of Team Work.

The teamwork has extended from the secretary's office to the deck of the smallest motor boat; from the ranking admiral to the lowest recruit. The men in Washington who have been responsible for the direction of the navy's preparations and naval operations on every sea and at every shore base are the members of the advisory council created some three years ago.

"During every period of preparation and of prosecution of the war, in both personnel and material, every member of the council has had one thought and that has been how to secure the best co-operation and to obtain the best results."

The council is composed of the secretary, his assistant, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Admiral Benson, McGowan, supplies and accounts;

chief of operations, and the following rear admirals who head the bureaus: Palmer, navigation; Earle, ordnance; Griffin, engineering; Taylor, construction; Bratton, medicine and surgery; Parks, yards and docks; Clark, judge advocate general and Major General Barnett, commandant of the marine corps.

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Manicure Sets	\$1.50 to \$12
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### WOMAN DONS

### MAN'S CLOTHING

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10.—Miss Bertha Schmidt, who for two years masqueraded as a man and recently went through a marriage ceremony with her cousin, was dismissed without fine when brought into court under an ordinance forbidding a woman "to appear in public in costume unbecoming her sex."

"Certainly it is not unbecoming," said Judge Hogan as the girl, who lives with her cousin, appeared before him in a natty serge suit of late cut, silk shirt, tan shoes and a "feather-edge" hair trim. Men's clothing is cheaper, and besides men can demand higher salaries, Miss Schmidt explained.

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## OVERSEAS CASUALTIES

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The casualty list received today from General Pershing contains the following Illinoisans:  
**Killed in Action.**  
Lieutenants—  
Edwin R. Estep, Cicero.  
Sergeant—  
James Reeder, Garrett.  
Wilford Crain, Whittington.  
Corporals—  
Zachary Fulton, Lake Fork.  
Forrest Goffnet, Pana.  
Frank Ellis, Rockford.  
Harold Baldwin, Peoria.  
Merrill N. Gutschall, Sheffield.  
Roy Porter, Paris.  
Charles Schiek, Billed.  
John Sarlo, Melrose Park.  
Privates—  
Alfred Bingamon, Strausburg.  
William Carlson, Tamico.  
John S. Cramer, Marva.  
Benjamin Lamb, Watertown.  
Leo Sandman, Barrington.  
Isaiah Deckard, Oblong.  
**Died of Disease.**  
Wagoners—  
Edward Bowlan, Lockport.  
George Schreiner, McHenry.  
Privates—  
Henry Brown, Vermont.

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Or wood or iron work of any  
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range for sittings, but  
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Macario Tallieri, Maywood.  
John E. McEvoy, DeKalb.  
Charles L. Lincoln, Nashville.  
Wm. T. George, Morris.  
Elijah Peppers, Madison.  
**Wounded Severely.**

Lieutenants—

Ralph Harpole, Nebo.

Sergeant—

Hugo Larson, Rockford.

Isaac N. Kemp, Jacksonville.

Lyle Rolandson, Poplar Grove.

Corporals—

Paul E. Draper, Heyworth.

Albert R. Kendall, Mounds.

Socrates Ellison, Moline.

Harry Fuller, Aurora.

Ralph Menard, Kankakee.

James L. Ritchie, Browning.

Charles L. Gens, LaSalle.

Glenn H. Underwood, Mount Morris.

Homer Fawcett, Zion City.

Bugler—

Carl Schoeneman, Sterling.

Privates—

Cecil Duryea, Rockford.

Lyle Hicks, Oak Park.

Barney Kalandra, Wenona.

Jesse Kaufman, Argenta.

William Klockau, Rock Island.

Brooks Metcalf, Kansas.

Roy Porter, Paris.

Charles Schiek, Billed.

John Sarlo, Melrose Park.

Privates—

Alfred Bingamon, Strausburg.

William Carlson, Tamico.

John S. Cramer, Marva.

Benjamin Lamb, Watertown.

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But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her from a Serious Operation

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I suffered something dreadful from a displacement and two very bad attacks of inflammation. My doctor said he could do nothing more for me and I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have entirely cured me of my troubles and I am now in good health. I am willing you should use my testimonial and hope to benefit other suffering women by doing so,"—Mrs. F. Platt, 9 Woodbine St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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**FOR SKIN ERUPTIONS**  
Nothing heals and cures the skin of infants and children, like

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which contains harmless antiseptic healing ingredients not found in any other powder. 25c at the Vinol and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

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**THE WORK OF THE KIDNEYS** is to filter and cast out waste products and poisons from the blood stream. When the kidneys are overworked, weak or diseased, the waste matter remains in the system and causes pains in side or back, rheumatism, lameness, stiffness of joints, sore muscles and other complaints.

When your kidneys are out of order there is lack of energy, force, vigor, seal and general effectiveness. Kidneys and bladder must properly function for anyone to enjoy good health.

**Foley Kidney Pills**

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**Insure Against Pneumonia**

Be on the safe side. Pneumonia follows a cold, so avoid colds. The best insurance against colds and pneumonia is to keep the bowels open and entirely free from food-waste which ferments and creates dangerous poisons if allowed to remain in the bowels. These poisons are absorbed into the blood and the kidneys, lungs and skin pores are kept so busy trying to throw the poisons off that colds and pneumonia can gain a footing unopposed.

Your druggist has a really pleasant tasting new salts called **SALINOS** (fully effective in cold water.) It will completely empty the digestive tract, including the lower bowel where most poisons are formed. It acts pleasantly. Its use will stop the formation of poisons and give our blood full freedom to fight disease—ideal insurance against pneumonia.

**PUBLIC SALE**  
Wednesday, Dec. 18, commencing at 10 a. m., I will sell at my residence, 5 miles east of Arenzville and three miles northwest of Arcadia—horses, cattle, hogs, implements, etc.

F. E. Peterson.

Get a bottle today for a Quarter (larger sizes Fifty cents and a Dollar). Be safe! Use it tomorrow morning.

Geo. Shapiro Co., Minneapolis, U. S. A.

## JAPAN NOW HAS POPULAR GOVERNMENT

New Cabinet Headed by Takashi Hara is Hailed as Marking Advent of Popular Government—Is Outcome of Fifty Years' Struggle.

Tokio, Dec. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The new cabinet headed by Takashi Hara is hailed as marking the advent of popular government in Japan. For fifty years the champions of representative government have been struggling for a system under which the premier would be selected for that post because he was the leader of the majority party in the house of representatives. This has been accomplished when Mr. Hara was chosen.

During that half century the government has been in the hands of clans and court circles generally styled bureaucratic. On the other hand Mr. Hara is a commoner. He has selected as members of his cabinet those of this party, introducing bureaucrats only as ministers of war and navy who under the regulations must be chosen from army and naval circles.

"My ideal has at last been realized," exclaimed Marquis Okuma, Japan's "grand old man," who has labored always for the cause of democratic government. "The whole nation should support the Hara ministry if they are really desirous of the developments of constitutional politics in Japan. Japan should have new men young and vigorous who are able to handle important affairs of state."

One of the first decisions adopted by the new cabinet was to abolish the custom of detailing detectives to accompany ministers wherever they might go and the opening of ministerial apartments so that the people might have a freer access to them.

Mr. Hara's striking features are his large eyes and mass of white hair. He is sparing of words and speaks straight to the point looking one straight in the eye with frankness.

See Russell & Thompson for a good clock.

## BRIEF PARAGRAPHS FROM MURRAYVILLE

Clarence Cunningham Returns from Camp Taylor—Murrayville Items of Interest.

Murrayville, Dec. 10.—Clarance Cunningham arrived home from Camp Taylor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cox of Franklin were guests Wednesday of the latter's sister, Mrs. William Wade and family.

Miss Esther Osborne went to Springfield Thursday and had tonsils removed.

Mrs. A. T. Davenport and daughter Hazel of Jacksonville spent last week with home folks.

E. A. Whitlock of Decatur spent Wednesday night and Thursday with C. R. Short and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson visited relatives in Roodhouse Thursday.

Rees Jones who has spent several months with relatives in Larimore, N. D., returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scott and daughter Louise of Bettick and Mr. and Mrs. George Bates and son Keith Brown and Mrs. Nelle McDevitt were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Solomon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sooy and daughter Norline and Misses Grace and Alma Jennings were Sunday guests of relatives in Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Loving and children of Knapp visited S. B. Robinson and wife Sunday.

C. M. Fanning who has been at Camp Taylor for the past five months returned home Friday.

Carl Boruff of Yorkton, Canada, was called here last week by the death of his sister, Mrs. Clyde Moffit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strang and sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Strang's sister, Mrs. Harry Gilmore and family of Roodhouse.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Still Thursday December 5, a daughter.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. J. H. Fuller and son, David, are ill with influenza.

The funeral services held Sunday for Mrs. Clyde Moffit were very largely attended and the visitors attending were too numerous to mention. The following places were represented: Springfield, Peoria, Waverly, Jacksonville, Whitehall, Manchester and Woodville.

In the casualty list published in the Journal today appears the name of Sergeant Isaac N. Kemp of Jacksonville. The next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Lucie Kemp, 902 Edgerton street.

## TRAINING SCHOOL HAS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 10.—Graduates of the Central Field Artillery Officers' Training school at Camp Zachary Taylor have formed an alumni association with a membership of 10,000 for the purpose of continuing associations formed at the camp. Only candidates and officers who have been on duty at the school will be eligible.

Col. Arthur H. Carter, commandant of the school, was chosen president and these vice-presidents were elected: Col. A. M. Goodey, Buffalo; Major Silas D. Williams, Memphis; Lieut. Col. J. Dibblee, San Francisco; Candidate Theodore Douglas Robinson, former member of the New York

state senate; Judge A. H. Morrill, Cincinnati; and A. G. Pigot, Sacramento, Cal.

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See Russell & Thompson for silverware.

George E. Mitchell of St. Louis was calling on friends in the city Tuesday expecting to return to his home this morning.

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TWO USED MAXWELL CARS  
ONE USED FORD CAR  
THREE SECOND HAND BICYCLES  
ONE MOTOR CYCLE  
A FEW LARGE TIRES AND TUBES

I still have some Maxwell parts and try to keep a full line of bicycles and bicycle accessories, and can take care of your repair work on motorcycles and bicycles.

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The government is going to help these boys to secure a homestead. Great bodies of fine grass-covered agricultural and grazing lands in section allotments will be available for entry, on the most favorable terms, by honorably discharged soldiers and sailors. Government-irrigated lands, a valuable prize, will be part of the National bounty. Thousands of our young men who have been drawn by war into an outdoor life will never go back to indoor salaried jobs.

12,000 acres of the finest Government-irrigated lands at Deaver, Wyo., are expected soon to be opened for entry, with perpetual water rights. You should interest yourself at once, so by the time your boy returns, you can inform him as to just what the Government proposes to do. I am employed by the Burlington to inform and aid you along these lines. Get in touch with me.

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## HIS COSTLY DERBY

Abundant Reasons Why Owner  
Clings to Headpiece.

Merely as an Investment It Must Be  
Conceded as Deserving Care, and  
Is Worthy of Respect as  
Thing of Value.

It is only a plain derby, beginning to have the permanent duskiness of a peach, in spite of frequent trips to the hat specialist for rehabilitation. It has no claim whatever to any individualism, outside of the initials, which are inside and don't show anyway. It does not do me justice, either. And at any angle I place it, it gives me a topheavy appearance.

So why do I cling to it? Why?

Because anything that costs as much money as that derby, deserves not only care as an investment, but respect as a thing of value. People don't laugh at the Kohinoor diamond, do they? They never poke fun at the Great Ruby? Then why should they be amused at my derby?

It cost a great deal of money. The first time I bought it, I mean when I selected it in the hat shop and paid for it, supposing that it was wholly mine, the price was four dollars. The paying over of four of my dollars to the hat man gave me, at least to my simple, one-track mind, sole right and title against all pretenders until the end of the world. But only a simple mind could believe a thing like that.

Alas, like many other things in this surprising world, it was not my derby. It never has been and probably never will be. For I have been buying it ever since the first sale in the shop, almost like one does on the instalment plan. Only the instalment plan entails a set expenditure each week or month; you know just what it is going to be and can be prepared for it.

But when you get your derby from a hat boy or hat girl in hotel, restaurant, theater or wherever the grafters are permitted, you do not know what it will cost you. It all depends on the hauteur of the hat boy or girl in charge. Some of them have the appearance that anything tendered less than fifty cents would be faux beyond thought. Then the surroundings play such an important part in gauging the amount of blood money, or hat money, just as you desire to designate it. A mass of towering palms, much marble and occasional rugs, means a ransom. Less marble and only one or two palms mean less indemnity. And simple mahogany and no palm mean ten cents.

Why do men ever select such a piece of headgear in the first place? I know why they hang onto it after they get it, but what can be the reason for wanting one in the beginning? They are not beautiful on or off the head. They are hard to keep clean. Also they dent very easily and grow shabby without an effort. It is a mystery.

There is no sentiment in my case toward my derby. I respect it, the same as I respect anything that costs a lot of money, but I don't love it. I don't gaze at it with the tenderness I bestow on my tulip bed, nor do I look at it with the fondness which my old briar pipe inspires. These I would not part with.

But anyone who will advance to me one-tenth the sum which I have paid out may become the owner of one lace derby, a trifle fuzzy perhaps, but still capable of exciting the envious eyes of hat boys and hat girls.—Harry Irving Shumway, in Judge.

**Snails in Aquarium.**  
A large glass tank is not necessary for a house aquarium, says Boys' Life. Small, inexpensive glass boxes that make desirable indoor aquaria, as well as glass tubs and jars, may be obtained from dealers.

Do not buy a glass globe for an aquarium. These give a distorted view of the contents and are evidently uncomfortable for their animal inmates.

Goldfish are pretty and interesting, but they are common in such globes and not enough can be learned from them by the average student of nature. Fit up the aquarium as if you intended it for goldfish, then get something else.

You can catch many things, but do not put too many into one aquarium. One of the most interesting aquatic animals is the common water snail.

These are ordinarily kept in goldfish aquaria as scavengers, to clean up the debris and take off the green material that grows on the sides of the glass. Most people think of snails as aids in keeping the aquarium clean, but they are in themselves real objects of interest.

**Always a Silver Lining.**  
He looks as if he might be a member of the diplomatic corps, but he isn't—being a salesman in a time-honored department house on Seventh street, which in one respect, anyhow, is something equally as good.

Also, he has a wife who must be a cheerful-robin type of little woman, for when she peeped in on her husband the morning the order went forth that stores were not to be opened until ten o'clock she accepted the news cloud with the buoyancy of one who knows a silver lining when it comes her way: "Why, James?"—James is the diplomatic-looking husband—"now you can help me with the breakfast dishes, can't you?"

Oh, yes, the silver linings are there, all right—provided we don't concentrate too morbidly on the cloud side of a situation.—Washington Star.

## TAKE NO ADVANTAGE OF FOE

Feudists in Italy and South America  
Display Sense of Chivalry That  
Is Remarkable.

Before one can truly realize the terrible depravity to which human nature can occasionally descend one has to obtain just an inkling into that horror of horrors known by the name "vendetta." The misery, the suffering, the fear sometimes engendered by these awful feuds it is impossible to paint in language too denunciatory, observes a writer in London. Answers.

A gentleman not long returned from South America described the other day the end of a vendetta he once had the misfortune to witness in the Boca (lowest quarter) of Buenos Aires. The antagonists had their knives strapped to their hands so that the weapons could not possibly drop from their fingers, however badly injured they became. Before the police had separated them one of the luckless combatants had received no less than 17 wounds. On being examined it was discovered that this individual had a loaded revolver in his belt.

"Whyever did you not use your firearm?" asked the prefect of police. "No; it was a fight with knives," explained the other, with a gasp, and the next moment he sank unconscious to the ground.

In Naples, where warning of a vendetta is almost invariably given in private, a member of the Camorra is sometimes called in to settle a dispute, and in this way occasionally what might otherwise have been a brutal feuds ends in the chink of glasses at a sumptuous banquet. If a Camorrist meets his death at the hands of a foe it becomes the bounden duty of some other member of the Camorra to avenge it, notice being almost invariably given to the relatives of the deceased that it is absolutely unnecessary for them to take any steps in the matter whatever.

In Naples, curiously enough, the sympathy of the people is much more with the murderer in these cases than with the victim, judging that if he had no grievance the former would never have bared his blade; and it is quite surprising how far people are prepared to go in order to protect him from the police.

It is an unwritten law among the hot-blooded races among whom the vendetta still exists that, in an open street fight, no adversary must be assisted with a knife until he has had time to unclasp his own.

Not the least extraordinary feature of several of the vendettas is the refusal on the part of its dying victims to disclose the name of those who have mortally wounded them.

**Willing to Be Taught.**  
"Diarist" of the Westminster Gazette says he had been hearing much lately of the Americans in France and the impression made by them upon the British there. "Without giving offense to anybody," he remarks, "I hope I may say that British admiration of them has gone far beyond the limits that were considered likely to be reached, and that they have become strong favorites. But there is one point in particular which seems to have impressed every officer who talks to me on the subject. They all quite expected to find the Americans fine men physically, with plenty of intelligence and their full share of courage and dash and endurance; but they agree that they have been surprised to note the eagerness of the new allies to seek advice. 'You have been at this game for years,' is, I am told, the usual formula; 'but we are fresh at it. Tell us what you know.' It is an admirable frame of mind," adds "Diarist," "and one that promises rapid progress on the part of the willing students."—Christian Science Monitor.

**In Defense of Her Flag.**

How the union jack was ably defended by an Irishwoman in the streets of Paris on July 4 is amusingly told: "Outside one of the biggest drapery shops of Paris two ladies handled a union jack which lay on a great pile of flags for sale and remarked in French on its cheapness. The saleswoman, unskilled in accents, was rash enough to explain the low price by saying that 'the union jack wasn't in season.' He received in reply the most eloquent discourse attainable by an indignant Irishwoman of unblemished loyalty; and an Irish brogue speaking French is an engine of war before which the most intrepid must quail. There is one Frenchman who will never again suggest that there is a close season in union jacks.

**A New Fuel.**

Because of the fuel shortage that is facing the United States and Canada a new fuel is to be introduced known as "carbocoal." A plant is being erected in Virginia for the protection of this substance which is a by-product. Its use has been tested by the United States navy and two railroads, which pronounce it a valuable smokeless fuel. By a new process bituminous coal is treated in such a manner as to recover greater quantities of such valuable by-products as toulou, sulphate of ammonia, and valuable oils. From the residue is made the smokeless fuel "carbocoal" in the form of briquettes.

**Camels as War Animals.**

The importance of camels in transporting war supplies across the deserts has officially been recognized by the sultan of Egypt. Special medals were conferred recently upon native members of the camel corps for war service at exercises at which the presentations were made by the sultan.

## SHORT ON ROMANCE

Some Eminently Prosaic Proposals of Marriage.

Hardly as Picturesque as the Stilted Forms So Popular With Lovers in the Pages of Fiction, but Meant the Same Thing.

Perhaps the romantic proposals of fiction are more picturesque than the usual proposals of real life; but the fact that lovers are reluctant witnesses makes it hard to tell. But certainly the queer or comic proposals and attempted proposals of fiction cannot be any queerer than some of those recorded in actual chronicle of countryside tradition.

Mr. Howells in his reminiscences gives an amusing middle West example of a country bachelor who belatedly made up his mind to marry, and in his default of female acquaintance took his place on the top rail of a roadside fence and called to the first woman who passed: "Say! You a married woman?"

"And then at the frightened answer indignantly gasped out, 'Yes, sir!' he offered a mere 'Oh!' for an apology and explanation, and let himself vanish by falling into the cornfield behind him."

Almost equally contemptuous of fitness was a New England bachelor in middle life who had lived contentedly on his farm under the able administration of an aunt only a year or two older than himself. His next-door neighbor, and the owner of a small but cozy farmstead, was a competent and contented spinster, in whom Enos had displayed less than the ordinary neighborly interest. But one day he hailed her over the dividing fence: "Hi, Selina!"

Selina did not immediately understand that she was being addressed, and so Enos leaned across the fence and continued shouting "Hi! Hi! Hi!" until he attracted her attention.

"Well, Enos, what is it?" she inquired, turning.

Enos allowed her to walk close to the fence before he replied.

"Aunt Jane's going to get married, so I guess I better, too. What d'ye think about it, Selina?"

"I think ye better, Enos."

"Then of ye'll have me, guess I better marry you, Selina."

"Ef I will, Enos, I guess ye better."

"Will ye, Selina?"

"I won't, Enos."

"Shucks, Selina, ye better."

"That's your say-so, Enos. My idee is, I better'n't!"

Certainly, whether she would have bettered herself or otherwise, she did not marry Enos, and he remained a bachelor.

Even less of grace and glamor attended the courtship of a prosaic youth by the name of Joseph and his sweet-heart—if that term is not too poetic—the excellent and practical Susannah. Coming up her father's farm lane, Joseph perceived her crossing it at the far end with a bucket of pig wash, and called to her to wait for him.

"Can't stop, Joe, the pigs are waiting!" she shouted back.

"Jest a minute, Sue! I got something to say to ye!" yelled Joe.

"Ye can say it after I've fed the pigs!" shrieked Susannah.

Joe broke into a run. As he approached her, where she had paused reluctantly to await him, he panted indignantly, "Ye got to let the darn critters wait for once, Sue! Hang it, I want to propose!"

"Come along and propose, then," responded Susannah with sweet encouragement. "Ye kin do it while we feed the pigs, can't ye, Joe?"

Joe could and did; Susannah accepted him; the pigs were fed. Whether or not the match was made in heaven, it proved as happy as if its atmosphere of early bliss on earth had not been mingled with the aroma of the pigpen.—Years of My Youth.

## A Sidelight.

I've talked with some of the infantry coming down here and they have wonderful tales to tell. The French are wildly enthusiastic over the Americans—one French regiment passed me going into action waving the American flag.

Some time when I have time I'll sit down and analyze the sensations: they're indelible—it's a sort of high excitement that makes anything possible. It's taken at least three hits to stop any of our men. Generally they keep on going, nevertheless, until they can't go any farther—then shoot from where they are until they're picked off or the advance goes too far ahead, and the bitter bearers get them and bring them in.—From Letter of an American Artillery Lieutenant, printed in Collier's Weekly.

## So He Passed.

From France comes the following little story of the irrepressible spirits of the Australian fighting men:

Among the wounded brought into the ward was a young Bill Jim whom we knew at once was soon going west. He was quite conscious, and an Australian sister set herself to make his last few hours on this planet as comfortable as possible. He wanted to be wrapped up with pillows, and to do this the nurse said: "Put your arms around my shoulders so that I can raise you gently." "You bet your life, sister," whispered the irrepressible lad with a smile; "It's a long, long time since I had my arms around a dinkum Aussie girl." And then he ended his great crusade.

## You May Depend Upon These Markets

at all times for your meat requirements. Quality will be the first consideration, with price cut to the lowest possible notch.

Also, when we are able to secure something special, we will let you know promptly in order that you may take advantage of the fact.

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## Farmers and Stock Raisers

# If You Are Undecided Think of Footwear

Almost everybody is studying to think of useful gifts these days. Do not work your brain too hard, just stop and let us assist you in selecting some form of footwear as a suitable gift.



Foot wear as a present offers great possibilities. Now when footwear is higher than it used to be and the styles and colors are so very attractive almost anyone would be delighted to receive footwear as a gift.

Our assortments of shoes are varied, attractive and pleasing. Just what you would expect and be delighted with. Always a style and price to suit all.

## Boy Scout Leggins for Boys

We have a choice variety of styles in house slippers for men, women and children. See them now.

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for  
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Hoppers  
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Shoes

Shoes As a  
Gift for  
Children

### OBSERVED WEDDING ANNIVERSARY TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barr Were Married 44 Years Ago Yesterday—Observe Day Quietly at West State Street Home.

Tuesday December 10, was the 44th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barr of 1209 West State street. They passed it quietly at their home.

They were married near Mexico, Mo. and Mrs. Barr was formerly Miss Leila Markoe. They have made their home here and for many years have occupied their present residence.

They were the parents of four daughters and one son. One daughter, Helen, Mrs. Rewick, died a few years ago. The others, Mrs. John H. Russel, Mrs. Edward Dunlap, Miss Katherine Barr and Markoe Barr, all reside here.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Barr will wish them many more such anniversaries.

#### TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION

C. M. Strawn will give a demonstration with a Case 10-20 tractor and three 14 inch bottom plows this afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock on the farm of John Mittendorf on the Morton road just at the end of the hard road.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS  
Alice A. Taylor heirs to James S. Westrope, warranty deed to part of lot 4, Carter's Addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Car barb wire at Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

### FORMER RESIDENT DEAD AT ALTON

Ernest Harlow Passed Away Monday—Leaves Widow and Three Sons.

Ernest Harlow a former resident of Jacksonville died at his home in Alto Monday of influenza after a brief illness according to word received by friends here.

Deceased for a number of years was a resident of Jacksonville, the family residing at the corner of West College avenue and South Diamond street.

He was united in marriage about 12 years ago to Miss Nellie Heiberger of Paris, Ill., a sister of Mrs. E. J. Lang. She attended the local high school and made her home with her sister here at one time.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Harlow resided in Freeport but for a number of years they have been living in Alton. It is not known at this time what funeral arrangements have been made.

#### NOTICE, CO. C.

All members are requested to meet at the Armory Thursday morning, 9 o'clock sharp, to attend funeral of the late Joseph Dowling.

CAPT. E. C. VICKERY.

#### CHICAGO ARCHITECT HERE.

Francis W. Puckey of the firm of Puckey and Jenkins, architects of Chicago, who made the plans for the tuberculosis sanatorium, was in the city Tuesday on business with the Morgan County Tuberculosis Sanitorium board in connection with the remodeling of the building.

See Russell & Thompson for bracelet watches.

# There is a Grand Showing of Xmas Goods at Coover & Shreve's

This year we have the largest assortment of useful and practical gifts we have ever had. Among other things you will find:

Toilet Cases . . . . .	\$1.00 to \$40.00
Ladies' Purses . . . . .	50c to \$10.00
Gent's Purses . . . . .	25c to \$8.00
Stationery . . . . .	25c to \$1.50
Kodaks . . . . .	\$1.25 to \$65.00
Desk Sets . . . . .	\$2.50 to \$12.00
Hair Brushes . . . . .	25c to \$6.00
Razors . . . . .	\$1.00 to \$6.50
Razor Strops . . . . .	50c to \$3.00
Candle Sticks . . . . .	50c to \$2.50
Mirrors . . . . .	50c to \$5.00
Smoker's Trays . . . . .	25c to \$5.00
Perfumery . . . . .	25c to \$5.00

Gent's Collar Cases . . .	50c to \$5.00
Desk Clocks . . . . .	\$1.00 to \$3.50
Guaranteed Fountain Pens from . . . . .	\$2.50 to \$6.00
Beautiful Candles . . .	25c to 35c
Bud Vases . . . . .	
Baskets—work, sewing and waste . . . . .	50c and Up
Gent's Shaving Sets . . .	
And great variety of gifts, great and small, for large and small.	
We will save you money on Ivory.	
At last—Candy 49c a full pound	

### CLUB WILL COLLECT MUSIC FOR ARMY

Chaminoade Musical Club Has Received a Request to Collect Musical Instruments and Sheet Music for Army Hospitals—Hope for Liberal Response.

A request has been received by the Chaminoade Musical Club asking its members to collect musical instruments and sheet music for use at the various army hospitals where wounded and men made ill in war are convalescing. The members already have inaugurated a vigorous campaign and hope to meet with a liberal response. Mrs. Virginia Vasey of 726 West North street is in charge of collecting the instruments and music. Anyone having musical instruments or sheet music may communicate with her either in person or over the Bell phone and she will collect the articles. The letter received is given herewith.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 25, 1918.  
My Dear Mrs. Vasey:

I was very glad to get your letter and know you are co-operating with us in this effort to get music to the boys. Now that the war is over, our greatest work in supplying music begins, that is, getting records and musical instruments to the base hospitals.

Hundreds of our wounded and crippled boys are coming home every week to the many hospitals prepared for them and it is part of the "cure" for them that they have as much music as they want. We have a base hospital of our own here in Illinois, Base Hospital No. 143, Fort Sheridan, which has put out a plea for musical instruments at once. Also from a hospital in New Jersey and one in the south.

Instruments needed at once are: Three violins, three guitars, two banjos, three mandolins, two drums, a set of traps, any hand instrument any one has, and phonograph records. Can you not help us supply these things? They are wanted right now.

We can always use sheet music in the camps and it is greatly appreciated. Send any that you have to Leroy Lacey, Y. M. C. A. secretary, Camp Grant.

If the instruments need repair in git will only be necessary, I am sure, to tell your music dealer what you are trying to do and he will undoubtedly be glad to do the little repairing necessary, as his "bit" in this great and needed work.

Yes, you send everything C. O. D. collect; that is the understanding we have with the camps and they are glad to pay the express charges to get the material. Let me know just as soon as you have some more musical material, especially records and instruments and I will send you shipping address. Have your club have a "musical shower" at your first or next club meeting and bring anything they can spare that the boys will like. Please share this letter with your president and try to begin work at once because now is the time things are needed.

Hoping to hear again soon, I remain,

Most sincerely yours,  
Helen Mills.

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#### IS ATTENDING TELEPHONE CONVENTION

W. W. Holliday, president and general manager of the Illinois Telephone Company, left yesterday afternoon to attend the annual convention of the Illinois Independent Telephone Association at Peoria.

The convention will be in session three days and will be held at the Jefferson Hotel.

Several important matters are to come before the convention, the most important being the question of government operation of telephone companies.

Mr. Holliday, who is on the membership committee, expects to be in Peoria for three or four days.

A case of grape fruit was sent to the sick boys of the S. A. T. C. with the compliments of Chairman Russel. The report to the trustees indicated that the cases of influenza among the student soldiers were all very slight and that every possible care was being taken of the boys.

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#### CHRISTMAS AND THE CHILDREN

This year, due to health conditions, churches and organizations have been forced to give up any plans for Christmas entertainments, which means no Christmas for some of our Jacksonville children. Any class organization or individual desiring to make youngsters happy at this season of the year can obtain names of families from the Social Service League, by calling Illinois phone 26.

If you are not interested in a family leave a toy, doll, book or game, old or new, at our office for distribution.

The Social Service League,  
323 West State Street.

I have just one small cabinet phonograph, good as new, taken in exchange for a larger one, that can be bought for half price.

R. T. Cassell.

### ILLINOIS COLLEGE TRUSTEES IN SESSION

Held Semi-Annual Session Tuesday—Prof. Whisler Resigns—Dr. Ames Given Leave of Absence for One Year—President's Report Shows Enrollment Satisfactory.

The Trustees of Illinois College met for the regular semi-annual meeting in the directors room of the Ayers Bank Tuesday morning.

Among the out of town members present at the meeting were H. J. Dunbaugh and Frank R. Elliott of Chicago, and J. J. Bergner of Virginia. Andrew Russell, chairman of the board presided.

Considerable routine business was transacted and there was much discussion of the various problems created for the college by the establishment of the Student Army Training Corps.

The report of the president showed that the college had enrolled last September the largest number of students in the history of the institution. Altho the demobilization of the army unit may result in the withdrawal of a considerable number of men, it is evident that the attendance for the balance of the year will still be much larger than it was last summer expected to be.

Prof. Whisler Resigns.

The resignation of Professor P. F. Whisler from the chair of mathematics and physics was accepted with great regret, and the secretary was instructed to convey to Professor Whisler the appreciation of the Trustees of his efficient service to the college.

Mr. Whisler has decided to give up teaching in order to engage in agricultural work in Iowa.

The trustees have appointed to succeed him Lieut. E. N. Hebbert of the University of Illinois.

Lieut. Hebbert is a graduate of Wittenberg College, Ohio and has taken both a master's degree and a doctor's degree in mathematics and physics at the University of Illinois.

He has been in the army service as an instructor in the aviation school at the state university. Lieut. Hebbert will begin his work at the college when instruction is resumed after the holidays.

Dr. Ames Given Leave of Absence

The trustees also received a request for a leave of absence from Professor J. G. Ames who is planning to go into over seas "Y" work about the first of February. Leave of absence for one year was granted. Professor Ames provided his plans for army "Y" work are carried out.

A committee reported favorably on a plan for placing a tablet in one of the college buildings in memory of Governor Joseph Dunn, Professor J. B. Turner, and Newton Bateman, a trustee, a faculty member and an alumnus who all three exerted a great influence on the development of education in Illinois.

A resolution was passed accepting the custody of the Woman's Building Fund. This is a fund which is being raised by the women of the college for the erection of a woman's building on the campus.

Trustees In War Work

It is an interesting fact that three members of the board are at present engaged in overseas service. There are Thomas W. Smith and E. W. Blatchford in "Y" work and Carl E. Black in Red Cross service. The board directed that greetings be sent to these men as well as to Col. Edward Capps, the chairman of the alumni fund who is now at the head of the Red Cross Commission to Greece. The thanks of the board were voted to the Rev. Leonidas H. Davis for a gift of books to the college library.

President Rammelkamp had invited the members of the Board to the mess with the boys in the army mess hall, but this plan was not carried out on account of the quarantining at the army post and therefore the members adjourned for luncheon to the Peacock Inn, where in the private dining room they held an afternoon business session.

Those present from Jacksonville were the Reverends Fletcher, Madden, Kirkpatrick, Wetzel and Randle, and Dr. Nyman of the Illinois Woman's College.

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**SILK SHIRTS** — An ideal man's gift—tub and crepe silks, and silk mixed cloths — wide Roman and narrow pin stripes—each shirt individually boxed \$3.00 to \$10.00

**HAND BAGS** for men or women — long grain or pebble leathers, black, tan and russet colors — club and cabin shapes \$6 to \$25

**FABRICOID BAGS** . . . \$5 to \$10  
**BATH ROBES** — Blanket robes with shawl collars, cord trimmed with silk girdle; slippers to match . . . . \$5.00 to \$15.00

Fancy silk hose . . . 50c to \$1.50

**SWEATERS** in rich, solid shades — long grain or pebble leathers, black, tan and russet colors — heavy rope and shaker stitches — colors, red, grey, white and navy \$3.50 to \$15

Regulation O. D. sleeveless jerseys.

**HOSIERY** — Silk and lisle, black, navy, cordovan and palm beach from . . . . 25c to \$1.50

**NECKWEAR** — Lustrous silks, from France and Italy—the finest display we have ever made—

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**GLOVES** — Leather and knitted, finished and suede leathers — from . . . . 50c to \$4.00

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## IS NOT MARRIED

An item which appeared in the Journal Tuesday morning stating that Angelo Mansfield and Mrs. Ada Crawley were married is incorrect. Mrs. Crawley wishes it stated that she did not get married.

## Colds

Are you subject to them? Do you dread or fear them? You often hear the expression, "I catch cold easily." No such thing is true. You do not "catch cold," cold catches you. Just exactly how or why still is a debatable question. We don't need to go into that here. What we want you to realize is, that there positively is relief for you.

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## A WIRELESS OPERATOR'S WAR FRONT STORY.

Charles D. King, a wireless operator with the American forces, has written his father, J. R. H. King, an extensive and interesting description of affairs at the front. The soldier, who is twenty years of age, is serving with the 11th balloon company of the third American army in France. His father, who is an attorney at law in Wichita, and now making an extended visit here (was for many years a Jacksonville resident. The letter is lengthy and will be published in several installments.

(Continued from last week.)

It was nearly as tall as I am and the two of us couldn't stand in the same spot very long either to you suppose? For the past two nights we have had "out of town visitors" who drove in their bombing machines. The nights were very moonlight but despite this fact his range was as a whole very poor. However he did make one hit that I know of as I visited the place just yesterday only about 200 yards from where we slept that night. It was one of his favorite targets as usual—a hospital or rather a Red Cross Field Dressing Station.

His victims, I understand, were 13 men wounded and 3 killed. They were wounded men and medical men. He seems to think that a Red Cross flag is an invitation to drop bombs. At least it appears that he enjoys using them for a target. I have known of two cases now that I have witnessed myself where he had dropped bombs on the Red Cross hospitals. I also know of one case where the Huns shot two Red Cross stretcher bearers who were carrying a wounded man off the field. He not only fires on the Red Cross but also uses it as a shield for himself. In one instance two Americans

stretcher carriers were working in the field beside some German Red Cross men.

The Americans noticed that what the Germans were carrying did not look as a man and so one of the Yanks pulled the shell of the stretcher. He found his suspicious correct and the machine gun was having ride on this stretcher. The Germans were soon sorry of it. And one more case where they used the Red Cross as a shield was an airplane hangar which was located very near the front lines. Large crosses were painted all over this hangar and it was rather suspicious looking to the Americans as it was so near the front line. Several shells were fired close to the place and the desired result arrived at. The Huns began moving 4 aeroplanes from the hangar in an effort to get them to safety. The observation was very good that day and our gunners accomplished good results on the hangar.

And yet the Hun denies all these things and hundreds of others, I know of these incidences having witnessed them myself and I have heard of many others which I don't think were merely stories as they all came from reliable sources.

Another thing about the Germans which has deeply impressed me since I saw them, is the buckle which the Germans in the crown prince's army wear. The buckles on their belts are a very brilliant metal with the inscription "Gott Mitt Uns" on them. I have not been able to acquire one yet but I have seen many doughboys (infantrymen) who have acquired them.

Here are a few of the things which one sees while on his journey to the front. First—at the port he sees the ships of all the nations being unloaded by hundreds of soldiers. Ammunition, food and hundreds of varieties of supplies coming in by the shipload; hospital ships lying in the harbor; transports arriving with thousands of men in all branches of the army service; troops from all nations landing and marching away soon to take their places at the front. Then he sees train loads of these various supplies moving towards the front; troop trains moving speedily towards their destination.

At various places he sees vast railroad yards where American locomotives, freight cars, passenger cars, etc., are being assembled for service in France. The work being accomplished by Americans. Vast army camps everywhere in which the soldiers from all the allied nations receive their final training before going to the front. One sees in the cities women doing all kinds of work, women running street cars, automobile trucks, and wagons of all kinds; women engineers and firemen (women rather) on the railroads, women working as brakemen and flagmen. (I have not passed thru a village on the railroad which had a flagman, there was always a woman who flagged the trains). In the depots also there were women handling the heavy baggage and doing other depot work. In fact, nearly all the work around the cities that was previously done by men is now being taken care of by the women.

Then one, on leaving the city sees the girls working in the factories, round-houses, powder plants, mills and other kinds of shops. Then when one gets a short distance away from the city he sees women working in the gardens and harvest fields. (I have covered quite a long distance thru the fields of France and have never yet seen anyone working in the gardens and farms except old women, old men, and rather young children). I must also speak of at this time of the wonderful gardens which the French people have and which they so skillfully and patiently take care of. Every available piece of ground upon which any kind of foodstuffs will grow have been turned into a garden. The gardens are made on slopes, hill sides, in back yards, lawns, in the parks, in the army camps and even on the railroad property very near the tracks. And in the country the wheat is even planted right in the orchards. Imagine a wheat field and then an orchard of fruit trees within this field. No ground is wasted by planting them that way. The French people seem to be able to raise crops anywhere they desire. It surprised me to see a beautiful green garden on the side of a 60 degree slope of nearly solid sand and rock. One also sees wheat and oats growing on slopes of about 60 degrees. The country is very hilly in most parts. The country is also very beautiful and the landscape scenes are very simple. One can readily see why France has produced so many great artists after having traveled across the country.

I may also speak of the French people at this time. The people are of various classes as in other countries but there is a little more (not much) distinction made in this country between the classes. All French people that I have met have been extremely polite and courteous in every sense. Most of them are smaller in stature than the average Americans. The French are a very healthy class of people at least in their physical appearance. Men, women and children alike have extremely rosy cheeks and characteristic facial expressions. These expressions, however, are usually of a "weary of the war" nature but they also contain the expression of hope and courageous patience. Their hospitality is very excellent also.

When one begins his journey to the front he begins to realize what terror the Huns have caused and what terrible atrocities and destruction that the Germans have committed on France and Belgium. I had read of these

crimes as other people read of them but it was not until I came to the front that I realized just what they were. On one occasion while stopping at a little village about 40 miles behind the lines I found the opportunity to speak to some children perhaps between the ages of 8 and 10 years. They were a few of the thousands of little Belgian children who were made homeless and became orphans when the Huns invaded their native land. One of them spoke good English as his father had been English. He told me that he witnessed the murder of his father, mother, older brother and the ill-treatment of his sister. He told me the way his parents were killed in front of his own eyes and then the little fellow began crying. The other little fellow's father had been killed also by the Germans.

Then we came to a little village which was perhaps 20 miles from the front and I found out from an American soldier on duty there that every moonlight night German visitors came over and bombed the town. There were only a few buildings in this village that had been bombed but

they were nearly completely destroyed and possibly cost a number of civilian lives. Every village within many miles of the front have bomb proof shelters in which the inhabitants go in case of an air raid. The Huns cannot give any good excuse for bombing Paris and other villages far behind the lines. And when we come closer to the front we find villages completely in ruins and many of them being fired on by the Germans yet.

We stopped over the night in one village fully 10 miles behind the lines. We

awakened during the night by the sound of bursting shells. The village was in a rather protected place on the side of a hill but the Germans succeeded in making several hits one of them being a church. There was no one in the church at the time, luckily, and no casualties resulted. His other shells did nothing but destroy some other buildings and no one was killed that night in this village.

When one sees these villages which have been blown to atoms by the Germans, sees the thousands of graves everywhere, sees the thousands of French people wearing the black in mourning for lost fathers, brothers and sons; talks to the little French and Belgian orphans, sees the destruction of homes, buildings, forests, fields and everything that chance to be in the path of the German army when she invaded; sees the bombing of a hospital; sees the maimed men on the streets of the cities; sees the hospitals full of dead and dying men; hears the tales of the terrible atrocities the Huns committed told by people who have witnessed them; to hear of the treachery in battle that the Germans forever committed such as holding their hands up in battle.

Write soon and often please.

Love to both of you,

Charles.

Charles King,

Wireless Operator,

11th Balloon, 3d Army, France.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner subject to the Democratic primary election.

D. T. Summers.

I hereby announce myself candidate for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket subject to the Primary election Jan. 25.

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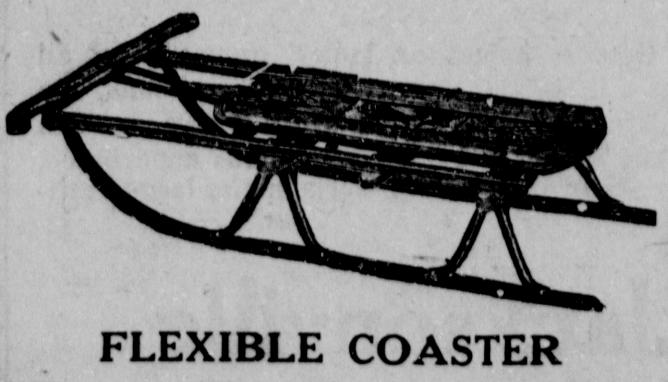
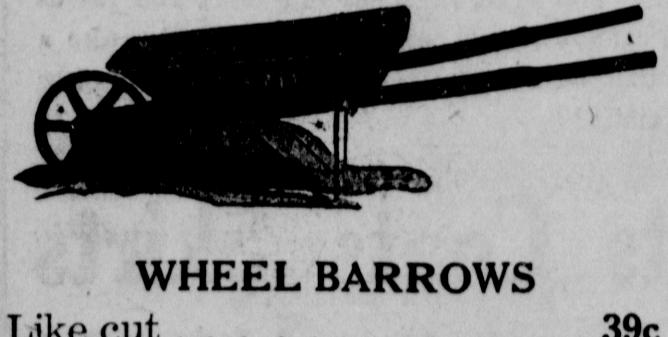
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## "With the Colors"

Letters of Interest from Morgan County Boys in the  
Country's Service.

From Private D. A. White

In a letter written from France, to relatives here, Private Dale A. White writes in interesting vein as follows:

Somewhere in France, Oct. 26, 1918.

Mrs. Wm. Norris,  
Route 5, City.

Dear Sister and Family:

Will try and drop you a few lines letting you know that I am alive and well. Hope this finds you and yours well and all the folks.

Well, Sis, you can say your baby brother has been on the front, and over the top, where the fighting was among one of the hardest places and sectors in the lines. I suppose you have seen the maps in the papers and what it says about the fighting more than I and can tell by the way they talk where I've been. Was up on the front 21 days and was rainy and muddy with it, too, some time believe me. I haven't slept under a roof or a house of any kind since Sept. 15th and haven't had a cold but a few days and in all kinds of weather. I say this outdoor life is sure healthy and will make a man out of you if the shrapnel or bullets don't get you. I never thought it was really like it is when back home; one can't realize without seeing them but is for a good cause and I firmly believe it can't last many months longer. We all thought we were going to get a good rest back in some town or camp but it was a mistake and will be back at them again. Well it is for the best, for it will bring it to a close that much sooner. Well, I have said enough of where and what I've been doing and will write of other things except get plenty to eat back here and while in the lines too. Tobacco and occasionally some chocolate bars (sweet); can sometimes buy candy, jam, cigars, cookies, raisins and such from the Y. M. C. A. The Red Cross gives you their stuff. I went to Y. M. C. A. concert this afternoon and saw a girl from New York I think. The first in two months. Our band was there. Made one feel better and she told stories and sang several songs; also had a few minutes prayer. Sure was a treat. Seeing and going thru what I have sure makes a Chris-

tian out of me and I'll be a different lad when I get back home. I have seen things that talked stronger than any sermon I ever heard. I wouldn't give one foot of Illinois soil for all the land I have seen in France in the last 30 days so you know about how it is. Nortown, or thereabout gets it only fill of little and big rocks. I get plenty of sugar and everything to eat.

Sunday eve.

Well, Sis, I didn't get this finished yesterday and will write this evening. I went to church at 10 a. m. to hear a minister just from the States. You would be surprised to see the number of trucks and at their size that is used over here. Can see lines for several miles in length at a time and motorcycles by the thousands. It sure is a wonderful sight to see all the horses, wagons and men and everything that is used over here. It only all could get back to tell it. One can't realize the scale things are run on without seeing it. I saw that real Yankee girl again this evening and heard her play the harp. Well, when I woke up this morning and pulled my blanket down from over my head, what do you think I saw? A good little frost on the ground. Believe me, I wasn't long hunting up some wood to make a fire. Sure was a change. My hands got cold going down to mess.

Oct. 28. Did not frost this morning. Had all the pancakes I could eat. Well, Sis, I've got a good start for a mustache. I want to get my pictures taken and send them back if I have time before going to the front again.

Will get rid of the lice this evening and get new clothes too. Will feel fine then. Well, Sis, if I come through this next round alive, I think I'll be able to get a few days rest. I mean in some town and can get some things to send home as souvenirs to you all, but will have a poor chance unless I send you a German helmet. Maybe I can manage that. God grant that I may on Father's and Mother's account. Sis, write once a week any way for it's the only time one feels good while up here. I mean when one gets a letter or mail comes in and you expect to hear from home and of the happenings thereabouts, you feel disappointed if you don't hear every few days. I've slept in shell holes and holes I've dug myself almost every night. You may not hear from me for several days or weeks but will write when get the chance. I've been three days writing this and it is hard to write at that. Hoping this is received the same as yours are. I am well and in good spirits.

Good bye. Your loving brother,  
Private Dale A. White.  
Co. M, 127th Infantry,  
American Ex. Forces,  
A. P. O. 734  
Via New York.

J. C. MONROE WRITES OF  
PEACE CELEBRATION

Darling Mother:

Peace—What a wonderful sound it has after the years of misery and suffering these countries has endured. What a more wonderful sound it must have for mothers, who's every heart beat was a hope that it would come, and as the magic word runs through my mind, I can't help but think of the millions of fellows over on that western front, who can't hear the rejoicings all over the world, whose lives paid for "peace." And I can see the mothers sitting moodily at home, hearing the shouts of the multitude of rejoicing humanity outside, and it seems they hear them, but can't feel them, nothing but a dull hopeless feeling that they have paid for, peace.

I arrived in London a few hours after the armistice was signed. Since I entered service have seen some great sights, things I shall remember all my life, from that morning back in August when the people of Joplin turned out, and my friends swarmed around me to see us off to camp, until the 11th of November when I stood in Trafalgar square and watched seven million people go crazy. I think if the American people could have seen the way London rejoiced they would experience a feeling of great satisfaction for the money time and worry they have put into the war. A week before the armistice was signed, when it was almost a certainty that it would be signed, the London newspapers mentioned how London would

celebrate, and I was expecting something unusual in the way of a celebration, and on the train I was picturing what it would be like.

I recalled all the different demonstrations I had witnessed back in the states, and by the time my train reached the Waterloo station, I had it all doped out. I could see patriotic parades, flag-waving, speeches by imposing boys in their frock-tail coats, etc. The Waterloo station is in the poorer district. The first thing I saw was a couple of girls with some New Zealand soldiers, dancing and yelling in the middle of the street, while the crowd cheered. I suddenly felt rather out of place. I recalled the nice civilized way we always act back home in patriotic demonstrations, and thought this a coarse way to celebrate peace. I thought surely they are all drunk. About that time one of the girls spied me, and made a dive in my direction, hollering, "hurrah for the Yanks." I experienced a bad case of stage fright and beat it.

The streets were not very crowded down there. I was anxious to get to a little more respectable part of the city.

Old women, some without any shoes on, were dancing and singing in the streets, waving flags, kissing each other, girls shabbily dressed with their hair hanging down, wild-eyed were everywhere.

A bunch of them rushed me yelling and singing, "The Yanks are Coming." I began to feel disgusted.

I thought what a common uncivilized way to show appreciation of the great event. I passed tenement that looked like a cyclone had hit it. What happened, I asked a boy, "boomed," came the laconic answer. While I was waiting for a bus an old lady run up and grabbed me by the hand, she said, "God bless you, wonderful country, boy. We owe this day to America." She seemed pretty respectable, so I asked her if the whole town was drunk, and why they were acting like that. She pointed to the tenement I had just passed—see that? A boom dropped on that building last September and killed three families.

For three years we have not slept a peaceful night. Every night the last thought was on going to bed, will it be our house tonight. Will we hear the signal in time to take cover? She told me how for a year the Germans came over so regularly that they knew almost to the minute when to expect them.

When the daylight raids were on, they used to hurry home early and have tea at 5 o'clock. Sometimes they would get their meal finished sometimes they wouldn't. The signal would sound, and down they would go into the railway tubes and cellars. The bombing would last till 7 o'clock sometimes. Could they go to bed then?

Yes, but to get up about 3 a. m. and maybe spend the rest of the night huddled in the tubes, half

asleep. With a world of love, your loving boy,

Clarence.

## ASBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough and daughter Marie were Tuesday guests of William Megginson in White Hall, while there they also visited their cousin, Mrs. Claude Dawson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Reynolds spent Sunday with their son, E. J. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hembrough and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bealmer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes west of Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig and children, Delos and Brenda spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Little, near Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bealmer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough, were Wednesday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trott.

Mrs. John Greenwood returned to her home in Manchester after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig.

Asbury Ladies Aid will serve Thursday at the Robert Rook Sale, Thursday, Dec. 12.

William Megginson of White Hall spent Sunday with his father R. W. Megginson.

Raymond Reynolds was a Tuesday guest of Robert Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKeon spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barrows.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Etta Sheppard departed this life Dec. 1, 1918 at the family home in Centerville, S. D. She was born April 3, 1886, being at the time of her death 32 years, 7 months and 27 days old. She was united in marriage to George Elmer Sheppard July 26th, 1904 and to this union were born 3 children, 2 dying in infancy. One son, Ralph, survives, with the husband and four brothers: Cyrus Nichois of Atwater; Manford of Arcadia; Wiley of Franklin; Julius of Detroit, Mich., beside a host of friends, which she won by her cheerful disposition.

The remains were brought here for burial, accompanied by her husband and son. Interment in Waverly Cemetery.

A precious one from us has gone, a voice we loved is still.

A place is vacant in our home.

Which never can be filled.

God in His wisdom has recalled

The boon his love has given,

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A Friend.

George A. Morrison of Windsor, Mo. was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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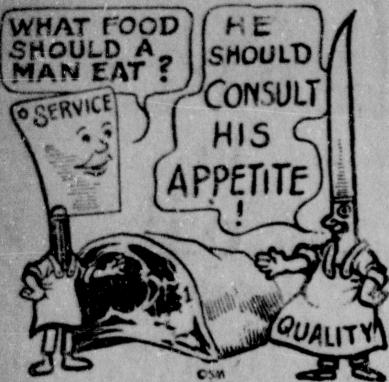
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Your appetite should be the chief of your table board of advisors. If it brings you to this shop it will not lead you astray. Let it feast itself upon the choicest assortment of meats ever sold in a sanitary store.

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Cash Market

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Think for a moment what music means to your home, to your family, to you! It brings cheer, comfort, happy homes—it is the most wonderful thing in the world.

### A Player Piano or Victrola for Every Home

Decide today to call on us and arrange for music of some sort in your home this Christmas.

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Make her happy with something you know she will appreciate—a lovely present from our well selected assortment of gifts:

Photo Cases	Stick Pins
Fingernail Rings	Coat Chains
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Bar Pins	Jewel Cases
Cameo Brooches	Manicure Sets
Watch Fobs	Set Rings
Photograph Frames	Vell Pins
Pearl Rings	Boudoir Clocks
Toilet Sets	Chafing Dishes
Dinner Rings	Cuff Pins
Handy Pins	Casseroles
Sets of Spoons	Watch Bracelets
Card Cases	Pendants
Sterling Silver	Dress Pin Sets
Little Finger Rings	Gold Beads
Collar Pins	Silver Novelties
Souvenir Spoons	Gold Crosses
Change Purses	Puff Boxes
Plain Rings	Mesh Bags
Vanity Cases	Traveling Sets
Neck Chains	Ear Studs
Gold Watches	Birth-stone Rings
Lingerie Clasps	Thimbles
Signet Rings	Rosary Beads
Hat Pins	Opal Rings
Gold Lockets	Fountain Pens

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## Story's Exchange, Loans and Insurance, Real Estate

### FARM PROPERTY

(A) 90 acres, five miles from the city, two miles to elevator, one-half mile to school, timber soil and all in grass but about twenty acres which is in wheat. House of six rooms, nearly new barn with other good out buildings. This is a nice home on the oiled road. Price \$160.00 per acre, \$5000 cash, balance payable in five years.

(B) An excellent 80 acre farm, one mile from market and elevator, thirty minutes by auto from the city and a most desirable neighborhood. All black prairie land, well tiled, five room cottage, nice barn and other buildings. Price \$275.00 per acre.

(C) One mile from Manchester we have 90 acres mostly black prairie land, tiled, well fenced with good set of improvements. Price \$175 per acre.

(D) 160 acres three miles from the city, well fenced with plenty of improvements and all in grass. Price \$225.00 per acre.

(E) 20 acres, two miles from the square, complete set of improvements and a beautiful home. Price \$12,000.00, will exchange for farm land.

(F) 10 acres, with good improvements, several varieties of fruit and nicely located. Price \$6500.00.

(G) 5 acres, eight room house, large barn and other out buildings. Price \$4500.00.

(H) 5 acres, with a five room house, barn for four horses. Price \$4500.00.

(I) In the second ward a three room cottage with nice lot and garden spot for \$800.00.

(J) In the second ward a nearly new eight room modern house, new garage for \$4000.00.

(K) In the second ward one-half block from State St. car line we have an excellent eight room residence, modern throughout.

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### MONEY

We have money in various amounts ranging from \$300 to \$10,000 available on call. We are filling applications for March 1st farm loans as the orders come. Place your order now and be ready.

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## EYES

What are They Worth to You?

Do you ever stop to give this matter the consideration it deserves, and what neglect of your eyes may mean to you? Nature gives you warning when any part of your body is being over-worked, and you do well not to neglect these warnings. Remember the old adage, "A stitch in time", is equally true here.

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CONSULT HIS APPETITE!

QUALITY

### PROMINENT BLUFFS CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

George W. Sisson Succumbs After Long Lingering Illness—Other News Items of Interest.

Bluffs, Dec. 9.—George W. Sisson, prominent citizen and business man, passed away at his home at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 54 years. Deceased had been in failing health for the past two years, but was able to discharge his duties in the store until about two weeks ago. Tuesday of last week his illness became serious and he failed rapidly until the end came. He was born on a farm near Naples in April, 1854. As a young man, he followed the occupation of farming. He was united in marriage to Miss Carrie Green, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Green of Ovville and for a time resided on a farm. Later he engaged in the mercantile business in Naples and for the past seven years he has conducted the leading dry goods and grocery store of this place. He was a member of the M. E. church. Besides his widow, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Snow, Naples, and the following brothers and sisters: James, Sisson, Mrs. Margaret Haley, Naples, Mrs. Ida Haney, Mrs. Mary Vaughn, New Cambria, Mo., and Mrs. Addie Jamison, Springfield. Funeral services will be held at the family residence Tuesday afternoon. Interment will be made at the Green cemetery.

Double Funeral Sunday.

A short funeral service was held at the family residence at 8 o'clock Sunday morning for Mrs. Marshal Parker and her 18 year-old daughter, Louise, who passed away from "flu-monia" Friday night. The services were in charge of the Rev. E. J. Rees, who spoke words of comfort to the stricken family.

The bodies were taken to Griggsville, where a double service was spoken at the cemetery. The loved ones were tenderly laid to rest in the cemetery of that city. Mrs. Marshal Parker was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Orrill of Griggsville, who with her husband survives; also six children, Mildred, aged 14 years, who is seriously ill of the epidemic; Charles Robert, Emeline, Marshal, Jr., and Mary.

News Notes.

Mrs. Mary Vortman, who has been confined in the hospital in Jacksonville for the past three weeks, has been suffering from an inflammation affecting her eyes. The sight of one eye may be entirely lost. She is improving somewhat.

Roy Vortman visited his mother, who is ill in Jacksonville Sunday.

Miss Bertha Welsh spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Faye Ranson.

Mrs. R. R. Ragan was in Jacksonville Thursday having dental work done.

Mrs. Will Scholfield spent the latter part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Colton in Woodson.

Merrill Curtis was called to Jacksonville Friday to help take care of his brother and wife who are sick with the influenza.

Yates Potter who is attending school in Jacksonville, was home from Friday till Monday.

W. S. Curtis was shopping in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barnhart of Winchester spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sutton and son Earl visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Angelo and children spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh.

Mrs. J. T. Ranson was called to Jacksonville Sunday evening by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Welsh, Mr. John Whalen and sister Winnie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Flieg of Lynyville spent Sunday with her daughter Mrs. C. E. Hamel and daughter.

F. W. Ranson and Mrs. W. F. Scholfield delivered hogs to Riggston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson and daughter Faye, Messrs. John Welsh, Jr., W. T. Flynn and Denby Ranson attended an oyster supper at the home of Charlie Sutton's near Riggston Saturday evening.

Those calling on Mrs. Joe Barnhart Sunday afternoon and evening were, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ragan and daughters, Mildred and Olive, Mr. Austin Cockrell and Miss Faye Ranson.

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Sergt. Donald Butler arrived in the city Wednesday noon from San Antonio, Texas, having been stationed at Camp John Wise, the past year.

We do grinding—Shears, Razors and Clippers

H. B. JAEGER  
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HAZEL DELL

Most of the farmers are through husking corn. The weather has been fine for that purpose.

Harry Mathews and son have been hulling clover for Irwin Coulson and H. O. Smith.

H. O. Smith and family ate goose with E. T. Antrobus and family Thanksgiving.

The Victory Girls are husking corn, raking yards and performing all kinds of work to make money.

They were able to add a neat sum to the amount through donations of corn by Col. Chas. H. Taylor and James Hutchies.

D. H. Smith and wife spent Tuesday with John Drake and family.

Mrs. Louis Knoepfle is visiting Mrs. D. H. Smith.

The Duflemon children are all able to go to school again.

O. H. Stone's brother and son are visiting him from Topeka, Kans.

Miss Emma Crisman of Merritt visited Hazel Dell Sunday.

John Bonds who has been with the aero squadron in England is expected home soon.

Mrs. Henry Bonds was a Jacksonville shopper Thursday.

Mrs. D. H. Smith, Florence Smith and Mrs. Albert Knoepfle were Jacksonville shoppers on Thursday.

Quite a few from this community attended the Clayton Barry sale Thursday. Chas. Taylor was the auctioneer and good prices prevailed.

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Mrs. Gertrude Arundel was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday. Joe Mayes of Naples, who has been near death of "flu-monia" is improving.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Royal Oakes, Sunday Dec. 8, a son, second child.

Mrs. S. Halpin, who was caring for her daughter, Mrs. June Fitzsimmons, southwest of town, who has an infant son two weeks old, has the "flu."

Mrs. Richard Middendorf and three daughters; Rev. F. H. Lathrop and son, and Miss Lucy.

E. D. Beford who has been ill is able to look after his duties at the post office, and states that he is feeling fine after his "flu" attack.

The situation here is not improving and new cases are reported each day. Schools and churches are closed, but crowds gather at the post office to wait for the mail to be distributed. The "flu" is prevalent all over town yet not a single house is plucked and those who are or are not afflicted are free to come and go at will. It seems as if some quarantine rules should be observed in some way. A rigid quarantine has always been placed on scarlet fever, yet no deaths have resulted from the fever but the "flu-monia" is increasing and the death toll is mounting higher.

William Lowe, manager of the Farmers' Telephone Company, states that he is rebuilding and reconstructing the system at Meredosia, and is installing a number of new phones in that town.

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Those shopping in Jacksonville Tuesday, were: Mrs. J. T. Ranson, Mrs. Lulu Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ranson, Mrs. Will Herring, Mrs. Timothy Flynn and daughter Rosa, and son William.

J. T. Hanson delivered hogs to Riggston Wednesday.

The Misses Evanda and Fern Potter, Faye Ranson were calling on Misses Ruth and Irene Hamel Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lulu Barnhart received the sad news of the death of her cousin, William Hughes of Way-erly.

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